**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**Docket No.
50623.00149

In re Application of:

Stephen D. Pacetti et al.

Serial No.

10/040,538

Filing Date

December 28, 2001

Examiner

Kirsten Jolley

Group Art Unit

1762

Invention:

A System And Method For Coating Implantable Devices

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of September 30, 2004, in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month☐ Two months☒ Three months☐ Four months☐ Five monthsFrom: December 30, 2004
Date

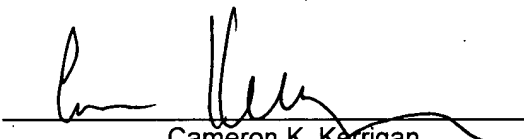
until

March 30, 2004
Date

The fee for the extension of time is \$1,020.00 and is to be paid as follows:

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1850.☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 07-1850.

Dated: March 30, 2005
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